

111TH CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

S. 2868

AN ACT

To provide increased access to the General Services Administration's Schedules Program by the American Red Cross and State and local governments.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “Federal Supply Sched-
3 ules Usage Act of 2009”.

4 **SEC. 2. AUTHORITY OF THE AMERICAN RED CROSS TO USE**
5 **FEDERAL SUPPLY SCHEDULES FOR CERTAIN**
6 **GOODS AND SERVICES.**

7 Section 502 of title 40, United States Code, is
8 amended by adding at the end the following new sub-
9 section:

10 “(e) USE OF SUPPLY SCHEDULES BY THE RED
11 CROSS.—

12 “(1) IN GENERAL.—The Administrator may
13 provide for the use by the American National Red
14 Cross of Federal supply schedules. Purchases under
15 this authority shall be used in furtherance of the
16 purposes of the American National Red Cross set
17 forth in section 300102 of title 36, United States
18 Code.

19 “(2) LIMITATION.—The authority under this
20 subsection may not be used to purchase supplies for
21 resale.”.

22 **SEC. 3. DUTY OF USERS REGARDING USE OF FEDERAL SUP-**
23 **PLY SCHEDULES.**

24 Section 502 of title 40, United States Code, as
25 amended by section 2, is further amended by adding at
26 the end the following new subsection:

1 “(f) DUTY OF USERS REGARDING USE OF SUPPLY
 2 SCHEDULES.—All users of Federal supply schedules, in-
 3 cluding non-Federal users, shall use the schedules in ac-
 4 cordance with the ordering guidance provided by the Ad-
 5 ministrator of General Services.”.

6 **SEC. 4. AUTHORITY OF STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS**
 7 **TO USE SUPPLY SCHEDULES FOR CERTAIN**
 8 **GOODS AND SERVICES.**

9 Subsection (d)(1) of section 502 of title 40, United
 10 States Code, is amended by inserting “, to facilitate dis-
 11 aster preparedness or response,” after “Robert T. Staf-
 12 ford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (42
 13 U.S.C. 5121 et seq.)”.

Passed the Senate May 24, 2010.

Attest:

Secretary.

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